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An Emperor's Frolic.

The late Emperor Nicholas, autocrat of all the Russias, the most iron-handed of modern times, held one thing in particular aversion, viz: wealth coupled with avarice. He was once traveling with a great dignity whom he had often bantered because of his stinginess. At one of the stations the carriage had to undergo sundry repairs, and the gentlemen went forward on foot. They came to a spot where the road was flooded to a considerable depth. The Emperor called a road laborer and asked if he would undertake to carry him through the water.

"Why not?" said the laborer, who took the monarch on his back and conveyed him safely across.

The Emperor gave him a couple of gold pieces and whispered:

"Now, go and fetch the other gentleman, but when you have got half way through the water, stand still and ask him how much he intends to give you."

The man did as he was told, stood still with his living load, and inquired in the middle of the water how much he was to get.

"You rascal!" cried the miser; "the other gentleman paid for us both: I saw him you impudent swindler! you shall not have another farthing!"

"What is he going to stand?" called out the Emperor.

"Nothing."

"Then throw him into the water!" The laborer was about to do so, but his intended victim held on tighter and exclaimed:

"I will give you three roubles!" "Ask 300," interposed the Emperor.

And now began a most comical scene. The terrified rascal clung still more closely to his bear, whom the Emperor by his gestures encouraged to remain firm. The rage and terror depicted in the features of the miser were indescribably ludicrous, the Emperor meanwhile urging him to come on.

"Well, now," exclaimed the grand dignitary at last, "carry me across. I will pay you when we get there."

"Don't you trust him!" called the Emperor, nearly choked with laughter. "Make him pay at once!"

Our anxious traveler had, while hanging over the water, to bring out his pocketbook and hand to the countryman the 300 roubles.—Albuquerque que Journal.

Metal that Answers All Purposes.

A new metal having been discovered by Mr. J. Edwin Sherman, metallurgist, who claims that it has the properties of silver, and yet is as useful as many other metals, without costing nearly so much. A reporter of the Commercial Advertiser called upon that gentleman at his hotel to ascertain some particulars as to the new discovery. At first Mr. Sherman was not inclined to enter into particulars as to the way he discovered the metal, which was, as he said, first the result of an accident, next the result of scientific experiments. The material from which it is produced, he said, is so cheap that it can be had for the mere carting of it away, and has for many years been allowed to go to waste.

In reference to the new metals relative comparison with silver for ornamental use, he said it is capable of sustaining a very high polish, which will not become tarnished like pure silver; therefore for spoons and forks it will be valuable, while for ornaments, such as plate and so forth, it will supersede it in quality. The metal by tempering can be made either hard or soft, and can therefore be applied to many uses that silver is not so suitable for, while in appearance it will equal it. There is very little doubt, he said, that in time it will take the place of the amalgamation now used in common plated ware, as that requires a heavy coating of silver, while the new metal needs only to be polished to make it as bright as silver. But there are other uses to which it can be applied. Being an excellent conductor of electricity and capable of being drawn out as a wire, even to gauge 36, it is far better and cheaper than copper or the other metals used for that purpose, and has less resistance to the current.

In quite a number of ways it can take the place of tin for the covering of other metals used in domestic economy. For roofing it exceeds in quality many metals now used, and can be more easily moulded than any for cornices and such purposes.

It is nearly as heavy as silver in gravity, yet can be rolled out to the thinness of very fine paper without breaking the edges and looks then as if it had been trimmed with a pair of shears. Although Mr. Sherman had filed his patent at Washington, he had only entered on the first stage of his experiments, as it were, and was still engaged in making researches as to the merits of his new discovery. The new metal will resist acids almost equal to gold, and therefore will not easily, if at all, corrode. There is such a difference between the new metal and silver that it could not be used by counterfeiters of coin without detection. The cost of working the metal is much less than iron, as it does not require such vast machinery to get it into shape.—Commercial Advertiser.

Incident in Lincoln's Career.

Colonel Lew Weitzel relates the following incident in President Lincoln's career, which he believes has never been made public before:

After the fall of Richmond and the flight of the confederate government, my brother Godfrey was placed in charge of the city. His headquarters were in the capitol, and President Davis' cabinet room was kept just as it was when last occupied. President Lincoln arrived the day after the occupation and called at the capitol and several officers, myself among the number, accompanied him through the building. When we reached the cabinet room my brother said: "Mr. President, this is the chair so long occupied by President Davis." He pulled it from the table and motioned the President to sit down. Mr. Lincoln's face took an extra look of care and melancholy. He looked at it a moment and then slowly approached and wearily sat down. It was an hour of exultation with us soldiers; we felt that the war was ended, and we knew that all over the north, bells were pealing, cannon booming, and the people were delirious with joy over the prospect of peace. I expected to see the President manifest some spirit of triumph as he sat in the seat so long occupied by the rebel government; but his head fell into his broad hands, and a sigh that seemed to come from the soul of a nation, escaped his lips and saddened every man present. His mind seemed to be traveling back through the dark years of the war, and he was counting the cost in treasure, life and blood that had made it possible for him to sit there.

As he arose without a word and left the room slowly and sadly, tears involuntarily came to the eyes of every man present, and we soldiers realized that we had not done all the suffering nor made all the sacrifices.—San Jose Mercury.

An Industrious Judge.

The late Sir George Jessel was a man of extraordinary diligence. It was his habit to rise early every morning—sometimes at three o'clock. According to the rules of court, a copy of the bill, answer, and printed evidence in each case is left with the judge's clerk the day before the case came on. Many a barrister on beginning to state an intricate case would be stopped by the judge after a few sentences with: "Never mind all that, Mr. So and So; apply yourself to such and such a point," showing that Sir George knew the whole facts and only wanted the law argued.

Cases that would have taken other judges days to dispose of were heard and tried in two hours. Nor was this rapidity at the expense of accuracy; it was the result of his wonderful power of labor, working every day six hours in court, and at least six more in his chambers and at home.—San Diego Sun.

FURNACES BETTER THAN MILLS.—II

The Raymond & Ely and Meadow Valley companies had erected furnaces for the reduction of their ores, instead of mills, they would have been over a million dollars better off. We are led to reason, thus, says the Pioche Record, partly from the rich bonanza that the Smelting Company is now reaping in Bullionville from the reduction of the tailings of said ores—having realized some \$300,000 thus far with a twenty ton furnace—and partly from the enormous amount of quicksilver that was wasted by the mill process. It is very true a furnace was erected in Pioche when that camp first came into existence.

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E stray Notice.

To all whom it may concern: Notice is hereby given that I have taken up and estrays the following described animals, to-wit: One sorrel horse, half-bred, branded "B", has been running with my stock and watering at my corral for the past four months. One sorrel male about 15 hands high, about ten years old, branded "A", has been running with my stock for about four months; and that I have posted a notice on all my fences and in the public places, and in the newspapers, and in the office of the Sheriff of Mineral Park, as required by law. NICHOLAS CANTO, Mineral Park, A. T., April 27th, 1883.

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Summons. IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE Third Judicial District Territory of Arizona, county of Mohave.—Sumner O. Prince, plaintiff vs. Alexander Gordon, Robert Campbell, J. L. Clark, Wm. A. Fuller, Thos. B. Bythe and R. F. Hallford, defendants. You are hereby summoned and required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff in the District Court of the Third Judicial District, in and for the county of Mohave, in the Territory of Arizona, and answer the complaint filed with the Clerk of this Court, at Mineral Park, in said County (a copy of which complaint is on file in this court), within twenty days (excluding the day of service) after the service upon you of this summons. If you fail to appear and answer the complaint, I will in this court, and in the County of Mohave, and within this District, then and thenceforth, in all other cases, forty days.

And you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the complaint, as above required, the plaintiff will take default and judgment against you for the sum of fourteen hundred dollars and interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent. per annum from the 20th day of March, A. D. 1882, and costs of suit, and also apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint, and cost and disbursements in this behalf expended.

Given under my hand and the seal (Seal) of the said District Court, at Mineral Park, this sixteenth day of September, 1882. JOHN R. MACKENZIE, Clerk. CURRIENT & DANN, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

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